

(3) The bank accounts of the Headquarters can be exempted from national currency regulations, and from any emergency measures against bank accounts according to an agreement concluded between the bank and the Headquarters.

#### *Article 10*

##### *Multinational Budget*

(1) There shall be an equally shared Multinational Budget for the elements of the Corps mentioned in paragraph 2. The scope and funding of the Multinational Budget shall be agreed upon annually by the Ministries of Defence in accordance with national provisions.

(2) The elements of the Corps which are to be funded equally by the Contracting Parties are those defined in Article 4 paragraph 1 lit. a (excluding the elements of the Headquarters Company which are responsible for the administration, guarding, and management of the Barracks), paragraph 1 lit. b and paragraph 2.

(3) The principles established in current NATO rules and regulations for administration and financial management shall apply, as far as not otherwise agreed.

(4) The execution of the Multinational Budget and the multinational accounts shall be audited annually by the competent national audit institutions on a rotational basis. The audit includes financial and performance aspects. The auditing shall be based on mutually accepted auditing standards and procedures.

(5) Independently from the rotational audit, the national audit institutions are entitled to request all information and examine all files they consider necessary for auditing the national contributions and informing their respective governments and parliaments. These requests shall be channelled through the Commander of the Corps.

#### *Article 11*

##### *Contracting Capacity*

(1) The Headquarters shall have the capacity on behalf of the participating States

- a) to enter into contracts;
- b) to acquire and dispose of movable property and

3. Hovedkvarterets bankkonti kan undtages fra nationale valutareguleringer og fra nødtiltag mod bankkonti i henhold til aftale herom indgået mellem banken og hovedkvarteret.

#### *Artikel 10*

##### *Det multinationale budget*

1. Der skal være et fællesfinansieret budget for elementerne af korpset som nævnt i stk 2. Omfanget og finansieringen af korpsets budget skal aftales årligt af forsvarsministrene i overensstemmelse med nationale bestemmelser.

2. De dele af korpset, som skal fællesfinansieres af de kontraherende parter, er nævnt i artikel 4, stk. 1, litra a, (eksklusive de elementer af hovedkvarteretskompagniet, som er ansvarlig for administration, vagt og tilsyn med kasernen), stk. 1, litra b, og artikel 2.

3. Principperne, som nedfældet i gældende NATO bestemmelser og regulativer for administration og finansiel drift, finder anvendelse, medmindre andet aftales.

4. Korpsets budget skal revideres årligt af medlemmernes kompetente nationale revisionsmyndigheder på rotationsbasis. Revisionen omfatter finansiel og forvaltningsmæssig revision. Revisionen skal baseres på gensidigt accepterede revisionsstandarder og -procedurer.

5. Uafhængigt af revisionen på rotationsbasis har de nationale revisionsmyndigheder adgang til at udbede sig al information og gennemgå alle akter, som de måtte finde nødvendige for at foretage revision af de nationale bidrag eller for at informere regeringer eller parlamenter. Sådanne henvendelser skal ske gennem korpsetschefen.

#### *Artikel 11*

##### *Kontraktmæssig bemyndigelse*

1. Korpsets hovedkvarter har bemyndigelse til på medlemsstaternes vegne at

- a) indgå kontrakter,
- b) anskaffe og skille sig af med løsøre og